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DIARY NOTES

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DD/S [REDACTED]

21 January 1958

1. Ed Saunders advised me that the Bureau of the Budget had approved of the \$4.4 million release for [REDACTED] and I informed [REDACTED]

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2. [REDACTED] is on jury duty and requested that his briefings be postponed until February; I approved. He advised me that he had been in on the "Fitness Report Committee" and thought that the new Form which was coming up at the Career Council Meeting this Thursday was an improvement. He also informed me that he had received a number of requests from the DD/S and DD/P Areas to do his presentation on "Paperwork" and that [REDACTED] had alerted him that he was going to ask for similar presentations in the DD/I Area. He queried whether I wanted the Management Staff to make a study of our telephones in order to cut down on the number of instruments available for outside calls. I told him that while I realized there was a problem here I thought there were more important things that the Management Staff could devote its attention to at the present time.

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3. Had a talk with General [REDACTED] and he is agreeable to assuming the role which [REDACTED] played in running our Boards. At the moment he is trying to complete a report on a DD/I survey but will get in touch with me later this week at which time I will arrange for him to have a talk with Shef Edwards and Larry Houston and get started.

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